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1. According to an active worker in the Spanish Communist front organization, Casa de Espana, Spanish Communists in Uruguay have received orders from the Central Committee of the Spanish Communist Party in France to intensify their propaganda activities in the following manner:
 - a. To combat the recent resolution of the Franco government encouraging the return of Sephardic Jews to Spain which, the Spanish Communists claim, is a move by Franco to ingratiate his government with the new Israeli government.
 - b. To fight Franco's maneuvers to gain the favor of the Arab League. The Spanish Communists claim that Franco, working through reactionary Arabs, has successfully stopped Arab League pressure for Moroccan independence with the contention that Spain and the League can achieve a dominant role by collaborating in a common cultural program.

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